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INAGAKI, Takeo et al : :
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a three (3) month extension of time within which respond to the Examiner's Action dated February 27, 2002.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of US\$460.00 as a small entity associated with this communication to Deposit Account no. 21-0885.

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